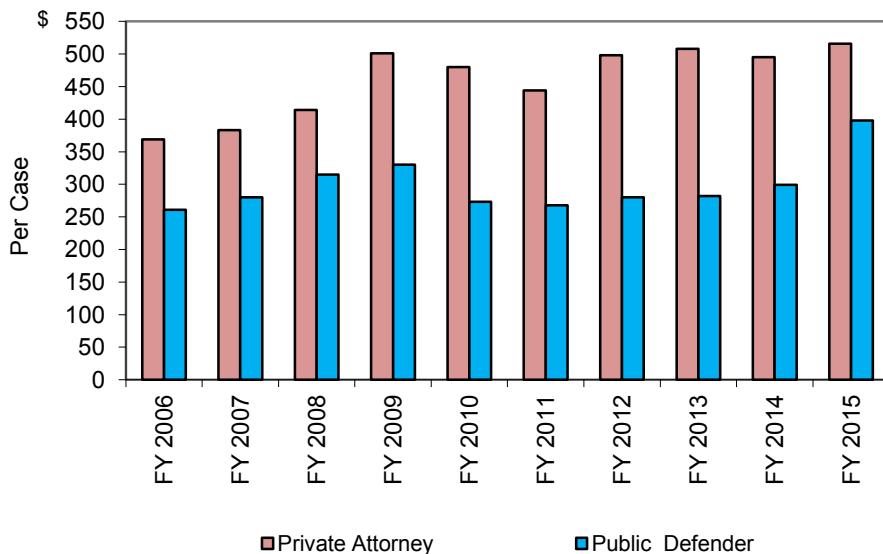


## INDIGENT DEFENSE IN IOWA AVERAGE CASE COSTS



Fiscal Year	Cost Per Case	
	Private Attorney	Public Defender
2006	\$ 363	\$ 261
2007	383	280
2008	419	313
2009	526	330
2010	480	273
2011	444	268
2012	498	280
2013	508	282
2014	495	299
2015	516	398

NOTES:

- 1) All costs are averages.
- 2) The average for private attorneys includes juvenile cases and payments made to private nonprofit organizations at a flat rate per case.
- 3) The average cost for private attorneys is a cost per claim. The average cost for public defender is a cost per case.
- 4) The average cost for public defender cases is based on the entire operating budget.

Source: Office of the State Public Defender